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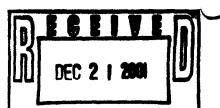
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DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING 001



Form 3160-3 (August 1999)

UNITED STATESIV OF OIL, GAS & MINING

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BURBAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

#### APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER

FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0136 Expires November 30, 2000

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ls. Type of Work: DRILL RE	ENTER CONFIDE	NTIAL	7. If Unit or CA Agreeme	nt, Name and No.
	90111 IDE	*****	8. Lease Name and Well !	No.
b. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other	Single Zone	Multiple Zone	Ute Tribal #2-25	
2. Name of Operator			9. API Well No.	
El Paso Production Company			43-647-3	4431
3A. Address	3b. Phone No. (include area co	ode)	10. Field and Pool, or Exp	locatory
P.O. Box 1148 Vernal, Utah 84078	(435)-781-7024	•	Leiand Bench	
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with	any State requirements.*) [[[	440 L98 N	11. Sec., T., R., M., or Blk	, and Survey or Arci
At surface NWNE 368'FNL & 1682'FEL	7	170 6 10 F	l	
At proposed prod. Zone	<u> </u>	599991 E	Section 25-T48-R15	:
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office			12. County or Parish	13. State
15 Miles Southeast of Fort Duchesne, Utah			Uintah, County	Utah
13. Distance from proposed location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to accree drig, unit line, if any)	16. No. of Acres in lesso	17. Specing Unit de		
18. Diffuses from proposed location to nearest well, drilling, completed, Refer to	19. Proposed Depth	20. BLM/BIA Bond	No. on file	
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21. Elevations (Show whother DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)	22. Approximate date work w	ill start#	23. Estimated duration	
5027'Ungraded GL	Upon Approval		To Be Determined	
	24. Attachments			

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be attached to this form:

- 1. Well plat cortified by a registered surveyor.
- 2. A Drilling Plan.
- 3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the
- 4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above).
- 5. Operator certification.

SOFO shall be then with the appropriate Potest Service Office.	authorized office.	
25 Signature William St.	Name (Printed/Typed) Sheila Upchago	Date 12/21/2001
Title Regulatory Analyst		
Approved by Silvanture	Name (Printed Typed)	Date 15-07
Title	OMENVIRONMENTAL SCIENTIST III	

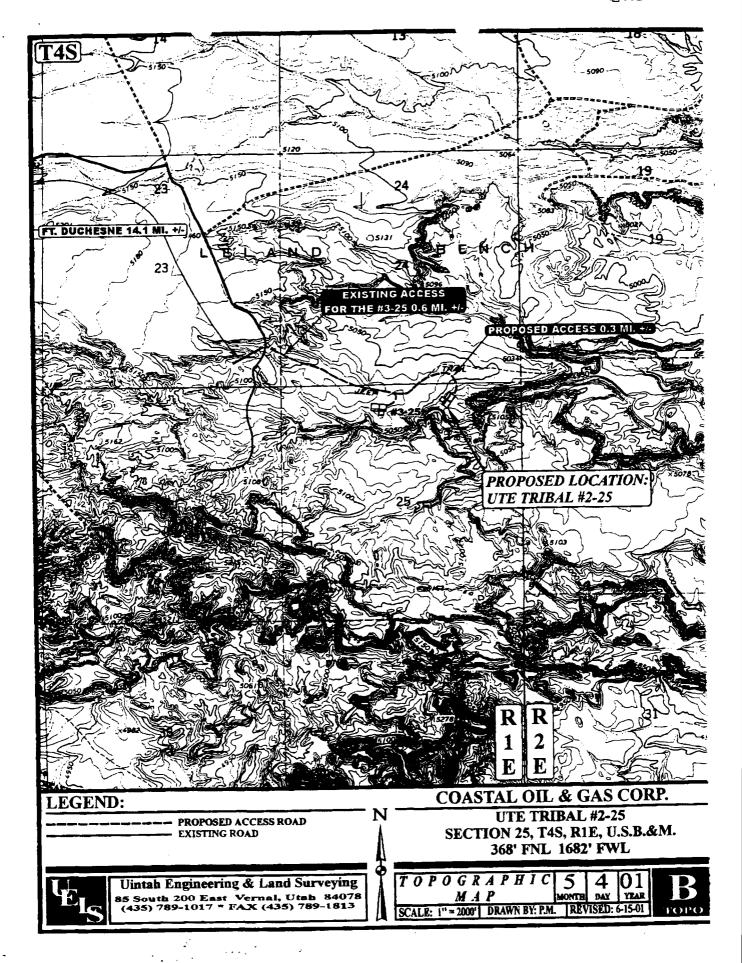
Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

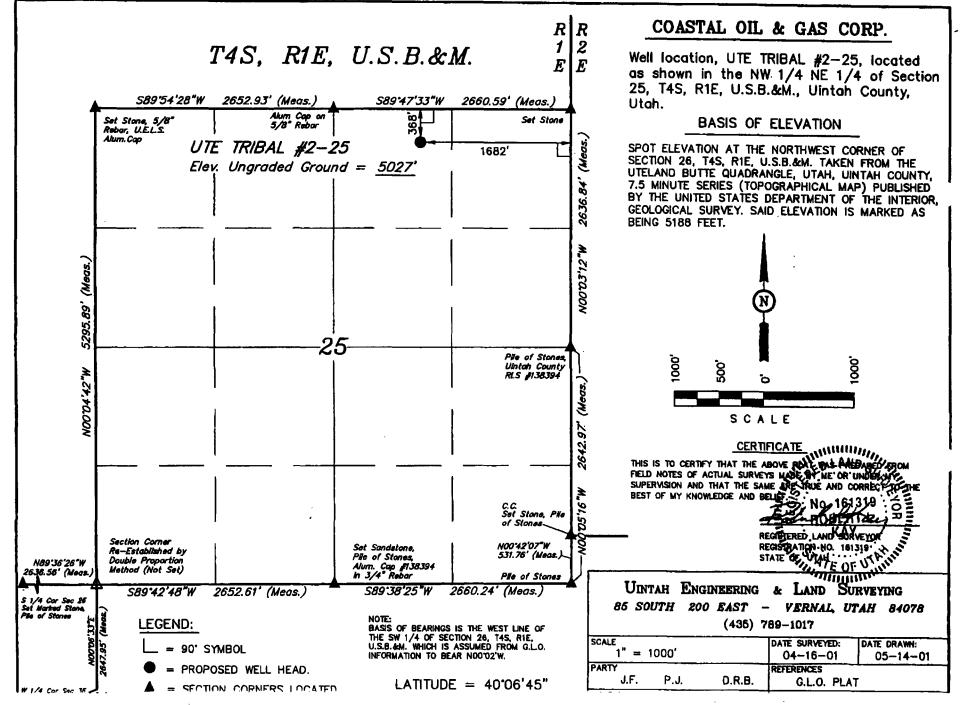
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

<sup>\*(</sup>Instructions on reverse)

#### COASTAL OIL & GAS CORP. T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M. Well location, UTE TRIBAL #2-25, located as shown in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 25, T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M., Uintah County. S89'54'28"W 2652.93' (Meas.) S89°47'33"W 2660.59' (Meas.) Utah. Alum Cap on Set Stone Set Stone, 5/8" BASIS OF ELEVATION 5/8" Rebar Rebar, U.E.L.S. Alum.Cap UTE TRIBAL #2-25 SPOT ELEVATION AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF 1682' SECTION 26. T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M. TAKEN FROM THE Elev. Ungraded Ground = 5027 UTELAND BUTTE QUADRANGLE, UTAH, UINTAH COUNTY. 7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHICAL MAP) PUBLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. 2636. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY. SAID ELEVATION IS MARKED AS BEING 5188 FEET. V00°03'12 (Meas. 89, 5295. Pile of Stones. Uintah County VOO'04'42"W RLS #138394 SCALE 2642.97 THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE RALL TALE ARED FROM FIELD NOTES OF ACTUAL SURVEYS MORE THE OR UNDERSTAND SUPERVISION AND THAT THE SAME ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELLET C.C. Set Stone, Pile of Stones Section Corner NO0'42'07"W Set Sandstone. Re-Established by 531.76' (Meas.) Pile of Stones, Double Proportion N89'36'26"W Alum. Cap #138394 in 3/4" Rebar Method (Not Set) 2636.56' (Meas.) Pile of Stones UINTAH ENGINEERING & LAND S89°38'25"W 2660.24' (Meas.) S89'42'48"W 2652.61' (Meas.) 5 1/4 Cor Sec 26 85 SOUTH 200 EAST - VERNAL, UTAH 84078 Set Marked Stone, Pile of Stones LEGEND: (435) 789-1017 BASIS OF BEARINGS IS THE WEST LINE OF THE SW 1/4 OF SECTION 26, T4S, R1E, SCALE DATE SURVEYED: DATE DRAWN: U.S.B.&M. WHICH IS ASSUMED FROM G.L.O. = 90° SYMBOL 1" = 1000INFORMATION TO BEAR NO0'02'W. 04 - 16 - 0105-14-01 PARTY REFERENCES = PROPOSED WELL HEAD. J.F. P.J. D.R.B. G.L.O. PLAT LATITUDE = $40^{\circ}06'45''$ = SECTION CORNERS LOCATED. W 1/4 Cor Sec 36 WEATHER LONGITUDE = 109'49'36''Set Marked Stone, = SECTION CORNERS RE-ESTABLISHED. Pile of Stones COOL COASTAL OIL & GAS CORP.





## COASTAL OIL & GAS CORP.

UTE TRIBAL #2-25 LOCATED IN UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH SECTION 25, T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M.

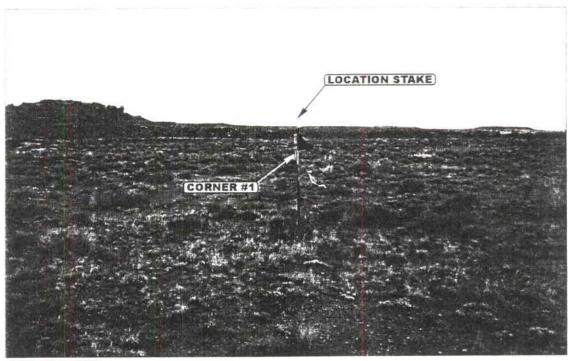


PHOTO: VIEW FROM LOCATION STAKE TO CORNER #1

CAMERA ANGLE: SOUTHEASTERLY



PHOTO: VIEW OF BEGINNING OF PROPOSED ACCESS

**CAMERA ANGLE: NORTHEASTERLY** 



LOCATION PHOTOS		5 MONTH	3 DAY	O1 YEAR	рното
TAKEN BY: J.F.	DRAWN BY: P.M.	REV	ISED:	6-15-01	

## Ute Tribal #2-25 NW/NE SEC.25, T4S, R1E UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH Lease #14-20-H62-4909

## ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1 COASTAL OIL & GAS CORPORATION

#### DRILLING PROGRAM

#### 1. Geologic Surface Formation:

Uinta formation

## 2. Estimated Tops/Depths of Important Geologic Markers/Anticipated Gas:

Substance	<b>Formation</b>	<u>Depth</u>
	Green River	2065*
Oil/Gas	Garden Gluch	4665'
Qil/Gas	Douglas Creek	5415'
Oil/Gas	Castle Peak	6155'
Oil/Gas	Uteland Butte	6515'
	TD	7300'

#### 3. Pressure Control Equipment (Schematic Attached)

The BOP stack will consist of one 11" 3,000 psi annular BOP, one 11" 3,000 psi double ram, and one 11' drilling spool. The lower ram will contain pipe rams, and the upper ram will contain blind rams.

The choke and kill lines and the choke manifold will have a 3,000 psi minimum pressure rating.

The hydrill will be tested to 1,500 psi. The rams, choke manifold, kelly safety valves, drill string safety valves, and inside BOP will be tested to 2,000 psi.

#### 4. Proposed Casing & Cementing Program:

The Surface casing and the Production casing will be new.

Please refer to the attached Casing & Cementing Program.

#### 5. Drilling Fluids Program:

Please refer to the attached Drilling Fluids Program.

Drilling Program

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## 6. Evaluation Program: (Logging)

Refer to the attached Drilling Program.

## 7. Abnormal Conditions:

Maximum anticipated bottomhole pressure (TD @ 7,300') approximately equals 2,920 psi (calculated at 0.4 psi/foot).

Maximum anticipated surface pressure equals approximately 1,314 psi (bottomhole pressure minus the pressure of a partially evacuated hole calculated at 0.22 psi/foot).

## 8. Anticipated Starting Dates:

Drilling is planned to commence immediately upon approval of this application.

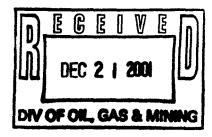
## 9. <u>Variances:</u>

None anticipated.

## 10. Other:

A Class III Archaeological Study was conducted for this location and submitted to the Ute Indian Tribe prior to on-site.

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#### ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1

## MULTI-POINT SURFACE USE & OPERATIONS PLAN

### 1. Existing Roads:

Refer to Topo Maps A and B for location of access roads within a 2-mile radius.

All existing roads will be maintained and kept in good repair during all drilling and completion operations associated with this well.

#### 2. Planned Access Roads:

0.3 mile of access road is proposed. Refer to Topo Map B.

Surface disturbance and vehicular traffic will be limited to the approved location and approved access route. Any additional area needed will be approved in advance.

#### 3. <u>Location of Existing Wells Within a 1-Mile Radius:</u>

Please refer to Topo Map C.

#### 4. Location of Existing & Proposed Facilities:

The following guldelines will apply if the well is productive.

All production facilities will be located on the disturbed portion of the well pad and at a minimum of 25 feet from the toe of the back slope or the top of the fill slope.

A dike will be constructed completely around those production facilities which contain fluids (i.e., production tanks, produced water tanks, and/or heater/treater). These dikes will be constructed of compacted subsoil, be impervious, hold 100% of the capacity of the largest tank, and be independent of the back cut.

All permanent (on-site six months or longer) above the ground structures constructed or installed, including pumping units, will be painted a flat, non-reflective, earthtone color

to match one of the standard environmental colors, as determined by the five state Rocky Mountain Inter-Agency Committee.

All facilities will be painted within six months of installation. Facilities required to comply with the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) will be excluded. The requested color is Juniper Green as determined during the on-site inspection.

#### Surface Use & Operations Plan

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Any necessary pits will be properly fenced to protect livestock and prevent wildlife entry.

#### 5. Location and Type of Water Supply:

Water for drilling purposes will be obtained from Dalbo Inc.'s underground well located in Ouray, Utah, Sec.32, T4S,R3E, Water User Claim #43-8496, Application #53617.

Water will be hauled to location over the roads marked on Maps A and B.

No water well is to be drilled on this lease.

#### 6. Source of Construction Materials:

Surface and subsoil materials in the immediate area will be utilized.

Any gravel will be obtained from a commercial source.

#### 7. Methods of Handling Waste Materials:

Drill cuttings will be contained and buried in the reserve pit.

Drilling fluids, including salts and chemicals, will be contained in the reserve pit. Upon termination of drilling and completion operations, the liquid contents of the reserve pit will be removed and disposed of at an approved waste disposal facility within 120 days after drilling is terminated.

The reserve pit will be constructed on the location and will not be located within natural drainage, where a flood hazard exists or surface runoff will destroy or damage the pit walls. The reserve pit will be constructed so that it will not leak, break, or allow discharge of liquids.

It was determined at the on-site inspection a 12 mil reserve pit liner with felt is required. The pit liner will be a minimum of 12 mil thick, with sufficient bedding used to cover any rocks. The liner will overlap the pit walls and be covered with dirt and/or rocks to hold it in place. No trash or scrap that could puncture the liner will be disposed of in the pit.

Any spills of oil, gas, salt water, or other noxious fluids will be immediately cleaned up and removed to an approved disposal site.

A chemical porta-toilet will be furnished with the drilling rig.

Garbage, trash, and other waste materials will be collected in a portable, self-contained, fully enclosed trash cage during operations. No trash will be burned on location.

All debris and other waste material not contained in the trash cage will be cleaned up and removed from the location immediately after removal of the drilling rig.

Any open pits will be fenced during the operations. The fencing will be maintained until such time as the pits are backfilled.

#### Surface Use & Operations Plan

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No chemicals subject to reporting under SARA Title III (hazardous materials) in an amount greater than 10,000 pounds will be used, produced, stored, transported, or disposed of annually in association with the drilling of this well. Furthermore, no extremely hazardous substances, as defined in 40 CFR 355, in threshold planning quantities, will be used, produced, stored, transported, or disposed of in association with the drilling of this well.

Refer to Topo Map D for the location of the proposed pipeline.

#### 8. Ancillary Facilities:

None are anticipated.

#### 9. Well Site Layout: (Sec Location Layout Diagram)

The attached Location Layout Diagram describes drill pad cross-sections, cuts and fills, and locations of the mud tanks, reserve pit, flare pit, pipe racks, trailer parking, spoil dirt stockpile(s), and surface material stockpile(s).

Location size may change prior to the drilling of the well due to the current rig availability. If the proposed location is not large enough to accommodate the drilling rig. The location will be resurveyed and a form 3160-5 will be submitted.

Please see the attached diagram to describe rig orientation, parking areas, and access roads.

It was determined that a pit liner will be used during the on-site inspection. The reserve pit will be lined, and when the reserve pit is closed, the pit liner will be buried below plow depth.

All pits will be fenced according to the following minimum standards:

39 inch net wire will be used with at least one strand of barbed wire on top of the net wire. Barbed wire is not necessary if pipe or some type of reinforcement rod is attached to the top of the entire fence.

The net wire shall be no more than two inches above the ground. The barbed wire shall be three inches over the net wire. Total height of the fence shall be at least 42 inches.

Corner posts shall be cemented and/or braced in such a manner to keep the fence tight at all times.

Corners shall be rounded as needed in order to control drainage.

Standard steel, wood, or pipe posts shall be used between the corner braces. Maximum distance between any 2 fence posts shall be no greater than 16 feet.

All wire shall be stretched, by using a stretching device, before it is attached to corner posts.

The reserve pit fencing will be on three sides during drilling operations, and on the fourth side when the rig moves off location. Pits will be fenced and maintained until cleanup.

Culvert(s) shall be installed where necessary.

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#### 10. Plans for Reclamation of the Surface:

Producing Location:

Immediately upon well completion, the location and surrounding area will be cleared of all unused tubing, materials, trash, and debris not required for production.

Immediately upon well completion, any hydrocarbons in the pit shall be removed in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.7-1.

If a plastic, nylon reinforced liner is used, it shall be torn and perforated before backfilling of the reserve pit.

Before any dirt work associated with location restoration takes place, the reserve pit shall be as dry as possible. All debris in it will be removed. Other waste and spoil materials will be disposed of immediately upon completion of operations.

The reserve pit and that portion of the location not needed for production facilities/operations will be recontoured to the approximate natural contours. The reserve pit will be reclaimed within 90 days from the date of well completion, weather permitting.

To prevent surface water (s) from standing (ponding) on the reclaimed reserve pit area, final reclamation of the reserve pit will consist of "mounding" the surface three feet above surrounding ground surface to allow the reclaimed pit area to drain effectively.

The pit topsoil shall be piled separately on the east side of the reserve pit.

Upon completion of backfilling, leveling, and recontouring, the stockpiled topsoil will be spread evenly over the reclaimed area(s).

#### Dry Hole/Abandoned Location:

Abandoned well sites, roads, and other disturbed areas will be restored as near as practical to their original condition. Where applicable, these conditions include the re-establishment of irrigation systems, the re-establishment of appropriate soil conditions, and re-establishment of vegetation as specified.

All disturbed surfaces will be recontoured to the approximate natural contours, with reclamation of the well pad and access road to be performed as soon as practical after final abandonment. Reseeding operations will be performed after completion of other reclamation operations.

#### 11. Surface Ownership:

Ute Indian Tribe P.O. Box 70 Ft. Duchesne, UT 84026 (435) 722-5141

### Surface Use & Operations Plan

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#### 12. Other Information:

All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with all applicable laws, regulations, the approved Plan of Operations, and any applicable Notice of Lessees. The Operator is fully responsible for the actions of his subcontractors. A copy of these conditions will be furnished to the field representative to ensure compliance.

The Operator will control noxious weeds along Rights-Of-Way for roads, pipelines, well sites, or other applicable facilities.

#### 13. Lessee's or Operators's Representative & Certification:

Sheila Upchego Regulatory Analyst El Paso Production O&G Co. P.O. Box 1148 Vernal, UT 84078 (435) 781-7024 Scott Palmer
Drilling Manager
El Paso Production O&G Co.
9 Greenway Plaza, Suite 2770
Houston, TX 77046
(832) 676-3391

Certification: All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with all applicable laws, regulations, Onshore Oil and Gas Orders, the approved Plan of Operations, and any applicable Notice to Lessees.

The Operator will be fully responsible for the actions of its subcontractors. A complete copy of the approved "Application for Permit to Drill" will be furnished to the field representative(s) to ensure compliance and shall be on location during all construction and drilling operations.

El Paso Production O&G Company is considered to be the operator of the subject well. El Paso Production O&G Company agrees to be responsible under the terms and the conditions of the lease for the operations conducted upon leased lands.

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my supervision, have inspected the proposed drill site and access route, that I am familiar with the conditions that currently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by the Operator, its contractors, and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved.

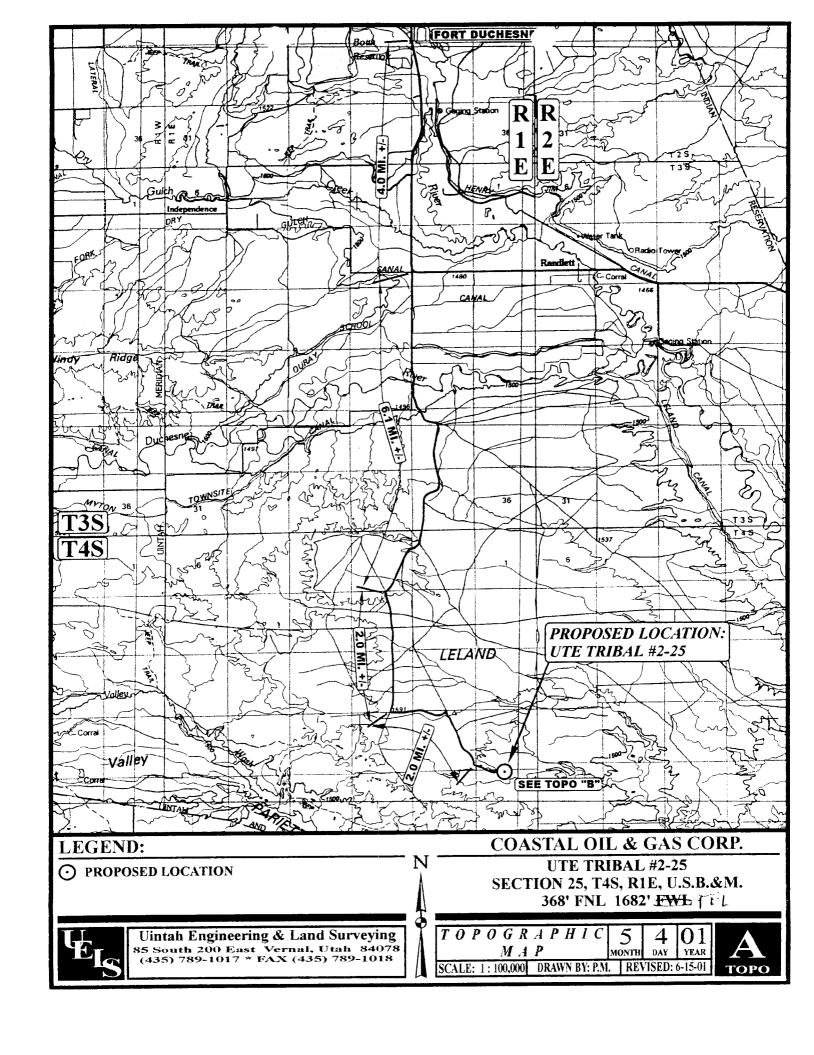
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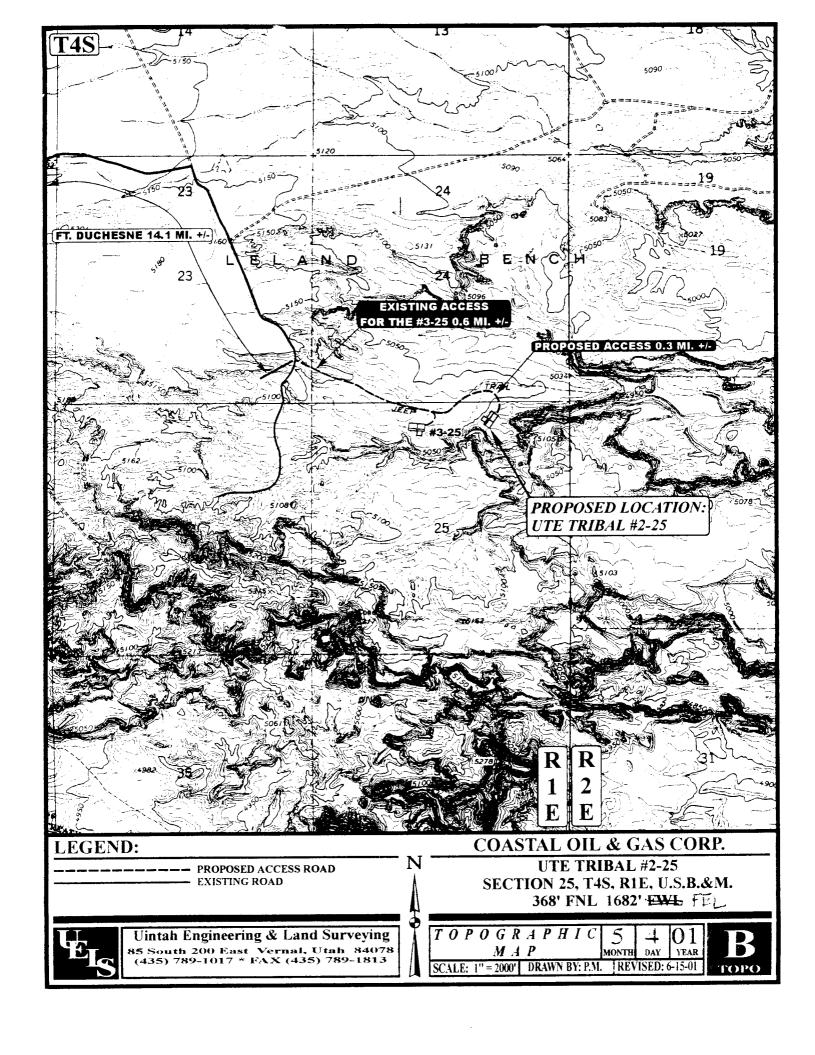
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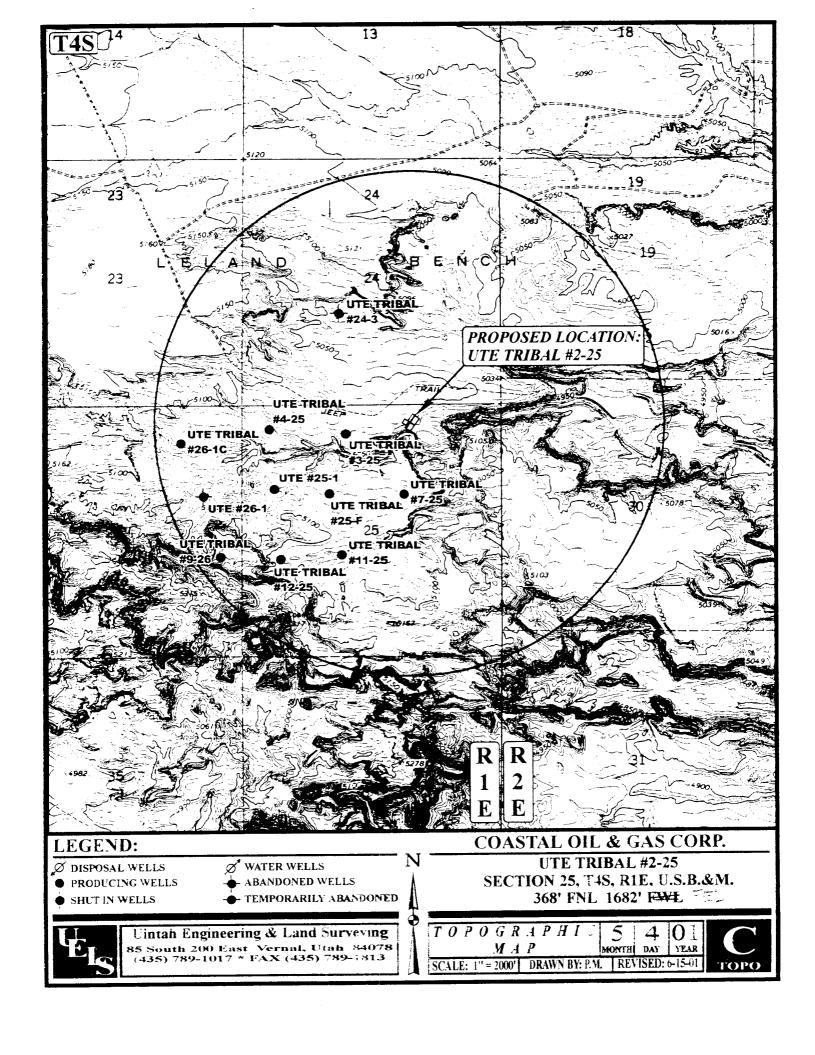
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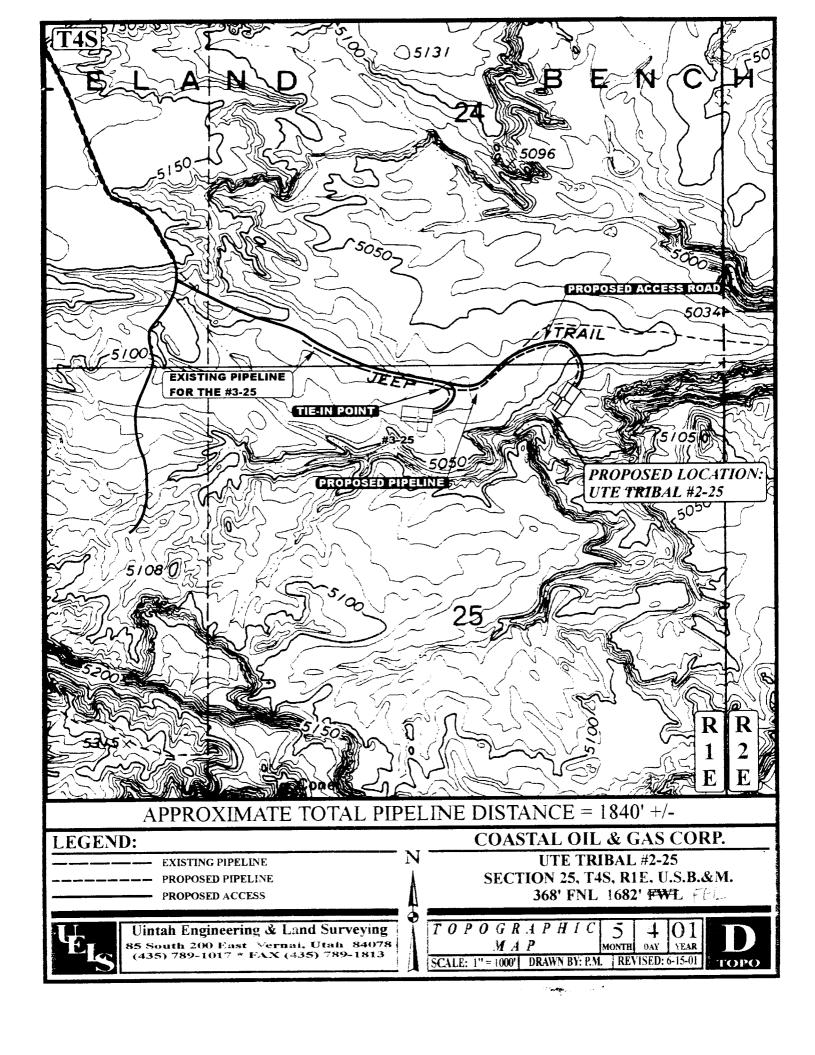
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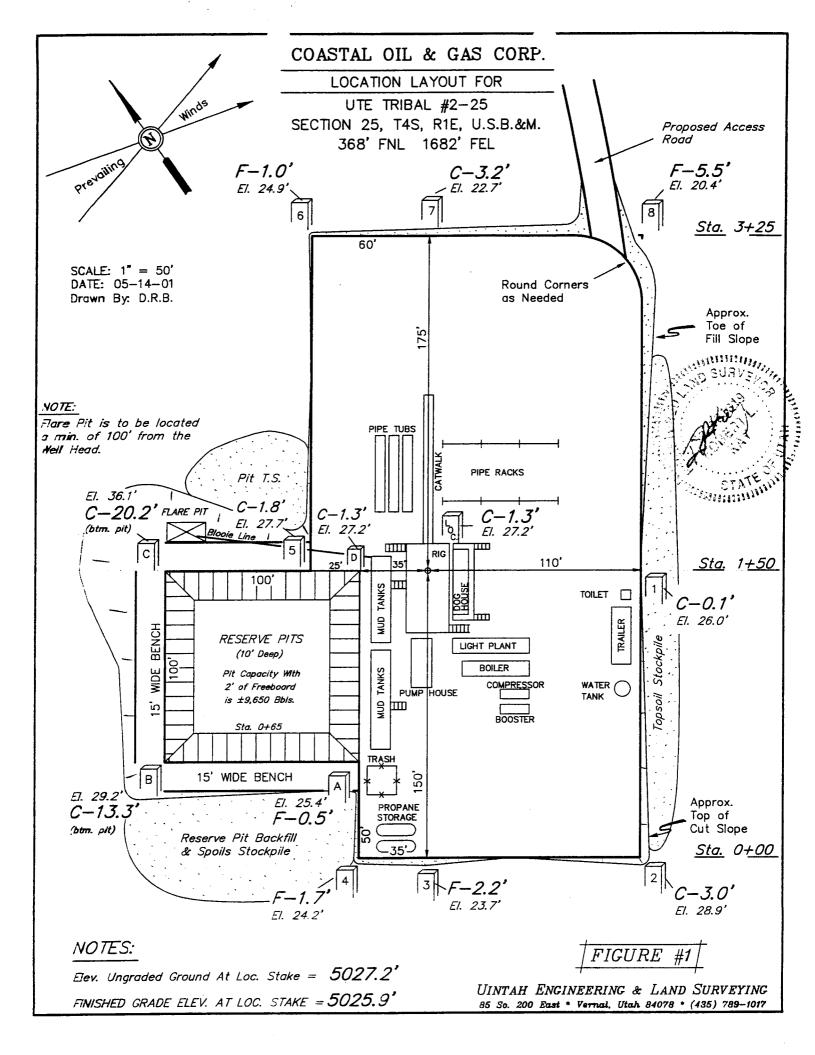
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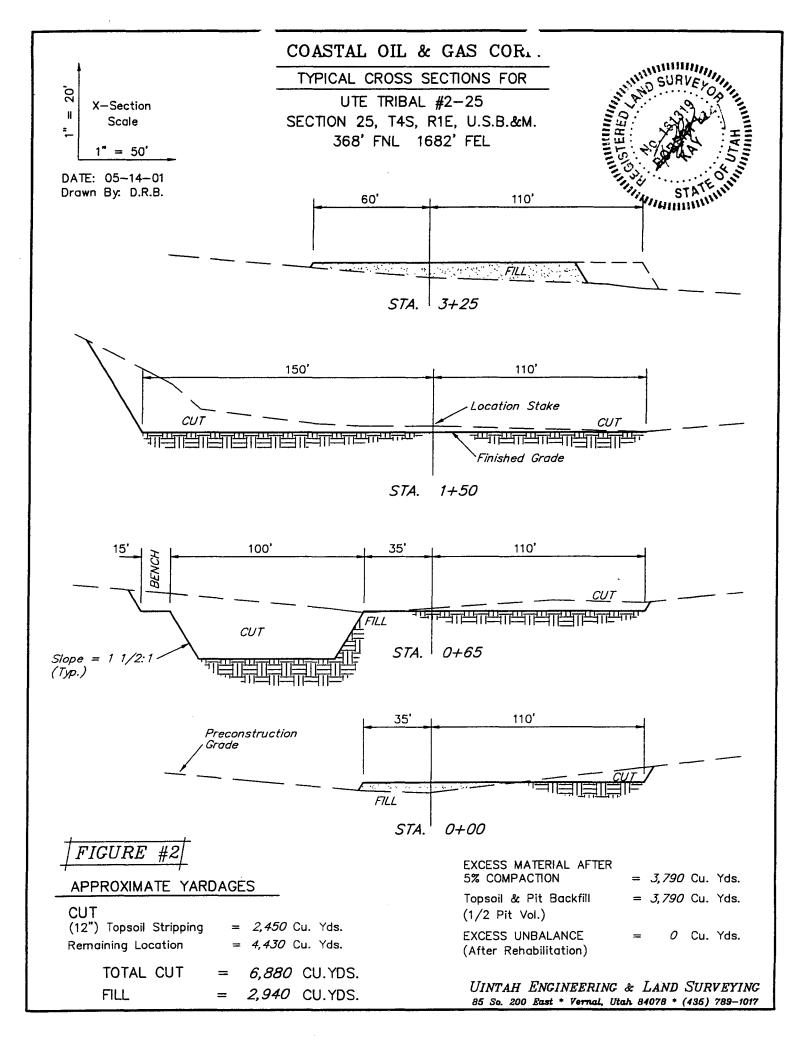




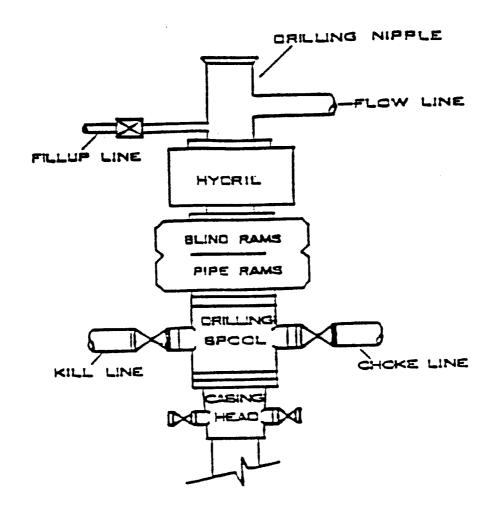


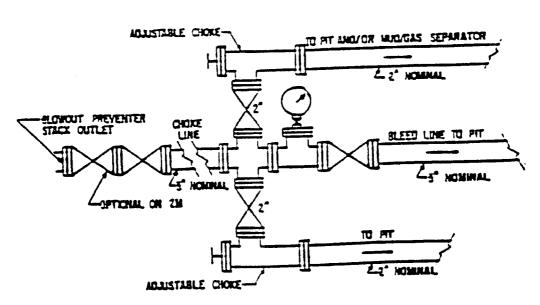






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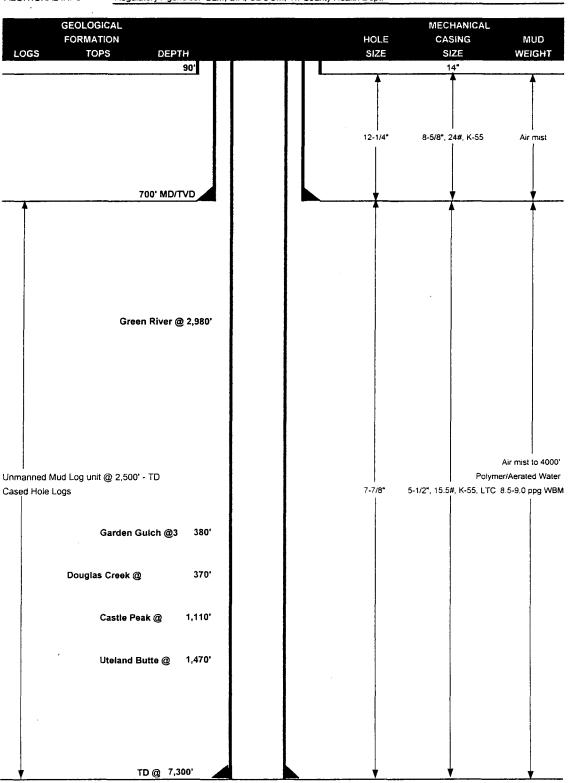






## DRILLING PROGRAM FOR APD

COMPANY NAME El Paso Production Company December 14, 2001 Ute Tribal 2-25 TD 7,300 MD/TVD WELL NAME COUNTY Uintah ELEVATION 5,025' ΚB FIELD Leland Bench STATE Utah SURFACE LOCATION 368'FNL & 1682'FEL SWISE Section 7-T4S-R1E Sec. 25 Straight Hole OBJECTIVE ZONE(S) Lower Green River oil ADDITIONAL INFO Regulatory Agencies: BLM, BIA, UDOGM, Tri-County Health Dept.





#### **CASING PROGRAM**

						DESIGN FACTORS		
	SIZE	INTERVAL	WT.	GR.	CPLG.	BURST	COLLAPSE	TENSION
CONDUCTOR	14"	0-40'						
						2950	1370	263000
SURFACE	8-5/8*	0-700'	24.00	K-55	STC	7.51	4.18	3.94
						4810	4040	239000
PRODUCTION	5-1/2*	0-TD	15.50	K-55	LTC	1.87	1.18	1.46

- 1) Maximum Anticipated Surface Pressure (MASP) (Conductor and Surface Casings) = (Frac Gradient at Shoe Gas Gradient (0.115 psi/ft))(TVD)
- 2) MASP (Int Casing) = Pore Pressure at Next Casing Point (Gas Gradient x TVD of Next Casing Point x 0.67) (Mud Weight x TVD x 0.052 x 0.33)
- 3) MASP (Prod Casing) = Pore Pressure (Gas Gradient x TVD of Production Interval)

(Burst Assumptions: FG @ 8-5/8" shoe = 13.0 ppg, Max Pore Pressure = 9.0 ppg EMW)

(Collapse Assumption: Fully Evacuated Casing, Max MW)

(Tension Assumptions: Air Weight of Casing, 50000 lbs overpull)

#### CEMENT PROGRAM

	1	FT. OF FILL	DESCRIPTION	SACKS	EXCESS*	WEIGHT	YIELD
SURFACE		700	Class G + 2% CaCl <sub>2</sub> + 0.25 lb/sk Cello Flake	380	50%	15.60	1.18
PRODUCTION	LEAD	3,600'	Hilift + 12% gel + 3% salt + 1% D79 + 0.5% D112 + 0.2% D46	330	60%	11.00	3.91
	TAIL	3,700 <sup>.</sup>	50/50 Poz/G + 10% salt + 2% gel + 0.2% D46	1020	60%	14.10	1.33

<sup>\*</sup> or 15% over caliper log

#### FLOAT EQUIPMENT & CENTRALIZERS

SURFACE	Guide shoe, 1 jt, insert float. Centralize first 3 joints with bow spring centralizers. Thread lock guide shoe.
PRODUCTION	Float shoe, 1 jt, float collar. Centralize first 3 joints & every third joint to top of tail cement with bow spring centralizers.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

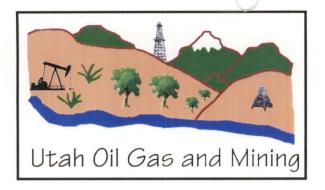
Test casing head to 750 psi after installing. Test surface casing to 1,500 psi pnor to drilling out.

BOPE: 11° 3M with one annular and 2 rams. Test to 3,000 psi (annular to 1,500 psi) prior to drilling out. Record on chart recorder & tour sheet. Function test rams on each trip. Maintain safety valve & inside BOP on rig floor at all times. Kelly to be equipped with upper & lower kelly valves.

Run Totco surveys every 1000'. Maximum allowable hole angle is 5 degrees.

# WORKSHEET APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL

APD RECEIVED: 12/17/2001	API NO. ASSIGNED: 43-047-34431
WELL NAME: UTE TRIBAL 2-25  OPERATOR: EL PASO PROD OIL & GAS ( N1845 )  CONTACT: SHEILA UPCHEGO	PHONE NUMBER: 435-781-7024
PROPOSED LOCATION:	INSPECT LOCATN BY: / /
NWNE 25 040S 010E SURFACE: 0368 FNL 1682 FEL	Tech Review Initials Date
BOTTOM: 0368 FNL 1682 FEL	Engineering
UINTAH UNDESIGNATED ( 2 )	Geology
LEASE TYPE: 2 - Indian	Surface
LEASE NUMBER: 14-20-H62-4909  SURFACE OWNER: 2 - Indian  PROPOSED FORMATION: GRRVL	
Plat Bond: Fed[] Ind[2] Sta[] Fee[] (No. 103601476 ) Potash (Y/N) N Oil Shale 190-5 (B) or 190-3 or 190-13 Water Permit (No. 43-8496 ) N RDCC Review (Y/N) (Date: ) NA Fee Surf Agreement (Y/N)	LOCATION AND SITING:  R649-2-3. Unit R649-3-2. General Siting: 460 From Qtr/Qtr & 920' Between Wells R649-3-3. Exception  Drilling Unit Board Cause No: Eff Date: Siting: R649-3-11. Directional Drill
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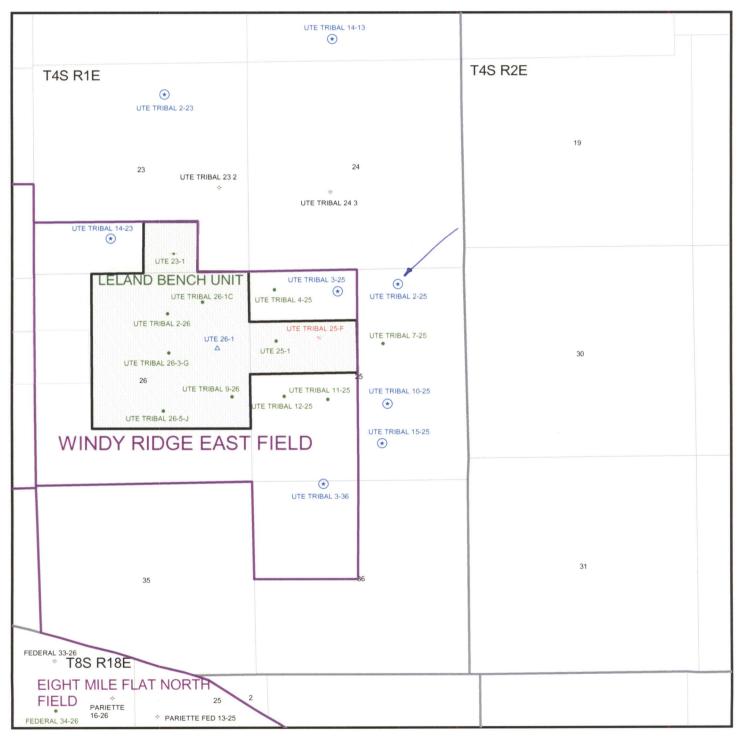


OPERATOR: EL PASO PROD O&G (N1845)

SEC. 25, T4S, R1E

FIELD: UNDESIGNATED (002)

COUNTY: UINTAH SPACING:R649-3-3/EX LOC



PREPARED BY: LCORDOVA DATE: 19-DECEMBER-2001



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Utah State Office P.O. Box 45155 Salt Lake City, UT 84145-0155

DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

In Reply Refer To: 3106 UTU-25566 et al (UT-924)

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#### NOTICE

Westport Oil and Gas Company L.P.

Oil and Gas

410 Seventeenth Street, #2300

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Denver Colorado 80215-7093

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## Name Change Recognized

Acceptable evidence has been received in this office concerning the name change of <u>Westport Oil</u> and <u>Gas Company, Inc.</u> into <u>Westport Oil</u> and <u>Gas Company, L.P.</u> with <u>Westport Oil</u> and <u>Gas Company, L.P.</u> being the surviving entity.

For our purposes, the name change is recognized effective December 31, 2001.

The oil and gas lease files identified have been noted as to the name change. The exhibit was compiled from a list of leases obtained from our computer program. We have not abstracted the lease files to determine if the entities affected by this name change hold an interest in the leases identified nor have we attempted to identify leases where the entities are the operator on the ground maintaining no vested recorded title or operating rights interests. We will be notifying the Minerals Management Service and all applicable Bureau of Land Management offices of the change by a copy of this notice. If additional documentation for changes of operator are required by our Field Offices, you will be contacted by them.

If you identify additional leases in which the entities maintain an interest, please contact this office and we will appropriately document those files with a copy of this Notice.

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October 10, 2002

State of Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining 1594 W. North Temple, Suite 1210 Salt Lake City, UT 84114 Attention: Ms. Diana Mason VIA FACSIMILE (801) 359-3940

Re: UTE Tribal 2-25

SW/4 SE/4 Sec. 25, T4S,R1E, U.S.B.&M.

Uintah County, Utah

Dear Ms. Cordova:

El Paso Production Oil & Gas Company has staked the above referenced well at a location approximately 368' FNL & 1,682' FEL of Section 25-T4S,R1E, Uintah County, Utah. This location is an exception to Rule 649-3-2 of the Board. Uintah Engineering advised me that the well was moved due to the topographic relief in the area. Please refer to the Topo Map "B" attached which shows the extreme terrain. The well was moved to the first available area suitable to construct. The requested position of the well was 490' FNL & 1790' FEL of Section 25, T4S,1E, U.S.B.&M. A copy of Uintah Engineering's survey plat and e-mail regarding the Ute Tribal 2-25 is attached to this letter for your files.

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October 15, 2002

El Paso Production Oil & Gas Company P O Box 1148 Vernal, UT 84078

Re:

Ute Tribal 2-25 Well, 368' FNL, 1682' FEL, NW NE, Sec. 25, T. 4 South, R. 1 East,

Uintah County, Utah

#### Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the provisions and requirements of Utah Code Ann.§ 40-6-1 *et seq.*, Utah Administrative Code R649-3-1 *et seq.*, and the attached Conditions of Approval, approval to drill the referenced well is granted.

Appropriate information has been submitted to DOGM and administrative approval of the requested exception location is hereby granted.

This approval shall expire one year from the above date unless substantial and continuous operation is underway, or a request for extension is made prior to the expiration date. The API identification number assigned to this well is 43-047-34431.

Sincerely,

Associate Director

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**Enclosures** 

cc:

Uintah County Assessor

Bureau of Land Management, Vernal District Office



Operator:		El Paso Production Oil & Gas Company				
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API Number:		43-047-34431				
Lease:		14-20-H62-4909				
Location: NW NE	Sec. 25	T. 4 South	R. 1 East			

#### **Conditions of Approval**

#### 1. General

Compliance with the requirements of Utah Admin. R. 649-1 *et seq.*, the Oil and Gas Conservation General Rules, and the applicable terms and provisions of the approved Application for permit to drill.

#### 2. Notification Requirements

Notify the Division within 24 hours of spudding the well.

Contact Carol Daniels at (801) 538-5284.

Notify the Division prior to commencing operations to plug and abandon the well.

• Contact Dan Jarvis at (801) 538-5338

#### 3. Reporting Requirements

All required reports, forms and submittals will be promptly filed with the Division, including but not limited to the Entity Action Form (Form 6), Report of Water Encountered During Drilling (Form 7), Weekly Progress Reports for drilling and completion operations, and Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells requesting approval of change of plans or other operational actions.

- 4. State approval of this well does not supersede the required federal approval, which must be obtained prior to drilling.
- 5. This proposed well is located in an area for which drilling units (well spacing patterns) have not been established through an order of the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining (the "Board"). In order to avoid the possibility of waste or injury to correlative rights, the operator is requested, once the well has been drilled, completed, and has produced, to analyze geological and engineering data generated therefrom, as well as any similar data from surrounding areas if available. As soon as is practicable after completion of its analysis, and if the analysis suggests an area larger than the quarter-quarter section upon which the well is located is being drained, the operator is requested to seek an appropriate order from the Board establishing drilling and spacing units in conformance with such analysis by filing a Request for Agency Action with the Board.



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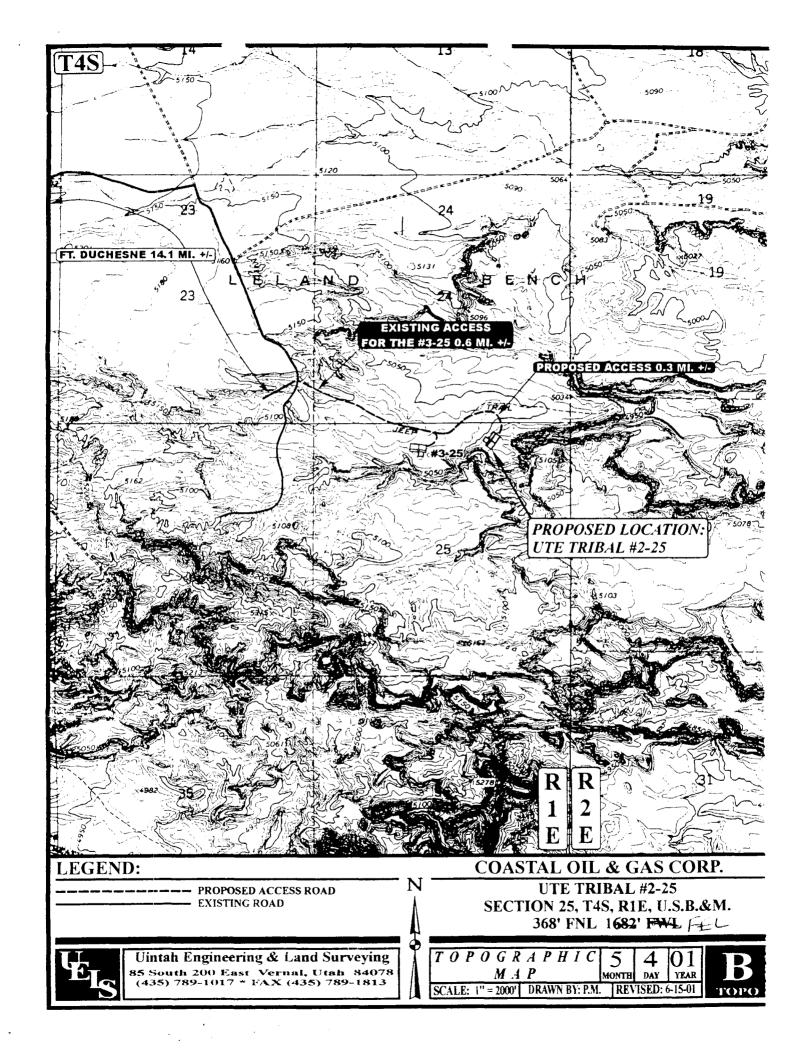
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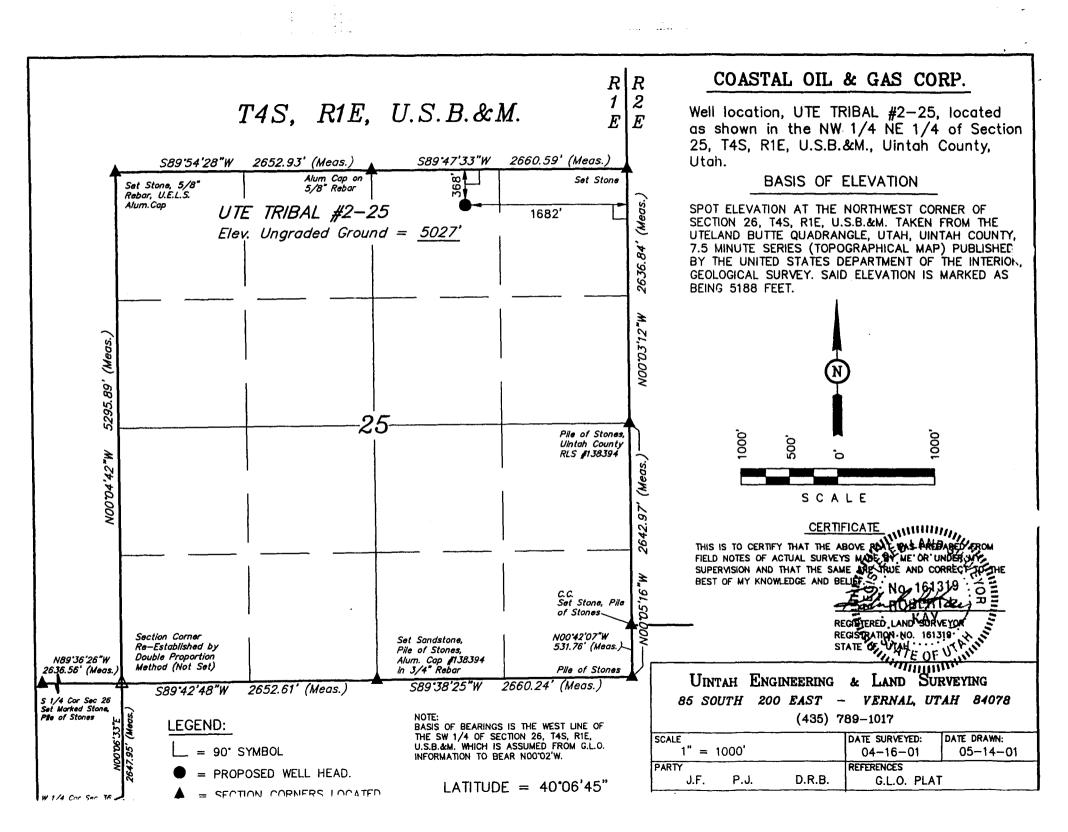
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## Null, Deborah

From: thenline [thenline@ut1.com]

Sent: Wednesday, October 09, 2002 9:09 AM

**To:** Deborah Null **Subject:** #2-25 & #4-26

To whom it may concern,

The Ute #2-25 & #4-26 well locations were moved from their original requested positions due to topographic relief in the area. Please note Topo Map "B" which shows the extreme terrain located at the center of the 1/4 1/4's. The positions of these well locations were preferred by the Ute Tribal Technician at the time of survey. Please call me with any questions. (435) 789-1017

Thank You

Robert L. Kay U.E.L.S. Inc.

Form 3160-3 (August 1999)

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0136

Expires November 30, 2000

5. Lease Serial No.

14-20-H62-<del>4909</del> 4904

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT T		Ute Tribe		
la. Type of Work: X DRILL	EENTER		7. If Unit or CA Agreem	ent, Name and No.
b. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other	Single Zone	Multiple Zone	8. Lease Name and Well Ute Tribal #2-25	No.
2. Name of Operator			9. API Well No.	
El Paso Production Company				
3A. Address	3b. Phone No. (include area	code)	10. Field and Pool, or Ex	ploratory
P.O. Box 1148 Vernal, Utah 84078	(435)-781-7024		Leland Bench	
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance w	ith any State requirements.*)		11. Sec., T., R., M., or Bl	k, and Survey or Area
At surface NWNE 368'FNL & 1682'FEL				
At proposed prod. Zone			Section 25-T4S-R1	E
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office	ce*		12. County or Parish	13. State
15 Miles Southeast of Fort Duchesne, Utah			Uintah, County	Utah
I5. Distance from proposed* location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)	16. No. of Acres in lease	17. Spacing Unit de	dicated to this well	
18. Distance from proposed location*	10 P 1D 1	20. BLM/BIA Bone	d No. on file	
18. Distance from proposed location* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft.  Topo C	7300'	BIA Bond No.		
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)	22. Approximate date work	vill start*	23. Estimated duration	
5027'Ungraded GL	Upon Approval	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	To Be Determined	

24. Attachments

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be attached to this form:

- 1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.
- 2. A Drilling Plan.
- A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office.
- 4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above).
- 5. Operator certification.
- Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized office.

25. Signature	Name (Printed/Typed)	Date
CHIND CHINA	Sheila Upchego	12/21/2001
Title		
Regulatory Analyst		
Approved by (Signature)	Name (Printed/Typed)	Date
Telin & Soldman	EDWIN I FORSMAN	10/28/02
Title Assistant Field Manager	Office	
Mineral Resources	<u>'</u>	

Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

NOTICE OF APPROVAL

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

\*(Instructions on reverse)

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL ATTACHED

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Well No.: Ute Tribal 2-25

# CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL

Company/Operator: El Paso Production Oil & Gas Corp.		
Well Name & Number: <u>Ute Tribal 2-25</u>		
API NO. 43-047-34431		
Lease Number: <u>14-20-H62-4904</u>		
Location: NWNE Sec. 25 T.4S R. 1E		
Agreement: N/A		

For more specific details on notification requirements, please check the Conditions of Approval for Notice to Drill and Surface Use Program.

#### CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Approval of this application does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease that would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Be aware fire restrictions may be in effect when location is being constructed and/or when well is being drilled. Contact the appropriate Surface Management Agency for information.

#### A. <u>DRILLING PROGRAM</u>

1. <u>Estimated Depth at Which Oil, Gas, Water, or Other Mineral Bearing Zones are Expected</u> to be Encountered

Report <u>ALL</u> water shows and water-bearing sands to John Mayers of this office prior to setting the next casing string or requesting plugging orders. Faxed copies of State of Utah form OGC-8-X are acceptable. If noticeable water flows are detected, submit samples to this office along with any water analyses conducted.

All usable water and prospectively valuable minerals (as described by BLM at onsite) encountered during drilling will be recorded by depth and adequately protected. All oil and gas shows will be tested to determine commercial potential.

#### 2. Pressure Control Equipment

The BOP and related equipment shall meet the minimum requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 for equipment and testing requirements, procedures, etc., for a <u>2M</u> system and individual components shall be operable as designed.

Test charts, with individual test results identified, shall be maintained on location while drilling and shall be made available to a BLM representative upon request.

If an air compressor is on location and is being utilized to provide air for the drilling medium while drilling, the special drilling requirements in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2, regarding air or gas drilling shall be adhered to.

If a mist system is being utilized then the requirement for a deduster shall be waived.

Where the location and rig layout allows, the blooie line shall be straight and extend 100' from the wellbore. This requirement will be waived only in the case where the location is too small to accommodate it.

## 3. <u>Casing Program and Auxiliary Equipment</u>

Surface casing shall have centralizers on the bottom three joints, with a minimum of one centralizer per joint. Surface casing setting depths will be based on ground level elevations only.

All casing strings below the conductor shall be pressure tested to 0.22 psi/ft of casing string length or 1500 psi, whichever is greater but not to exceed 70% of the minimum internal yield.

## 4. Mud Program and Circulating Medium

Hazardous substances specifically listed by the EPA as a hazardous waste or demonstrating a characteristic of a hazardous waste will not be used in drilling, testing, or completion operations.

No chromate additives will be used in the mud system on Federal and Indian lands without prior BLM approval to ensure adequate protection of fresh water aquifers.

#### 5. Coring, Logging and Testing Program

Daily drilling and completion progress reports shall be submitted to this office on a weekly basis.

A cement bond log (CBL) will be run from the production casing shoe to top of the cement and shall be utilized to determine the bond quality for the production casing. Submit a field copy of the CBL to this office.

Whether the well is completed as a dry hole or as a producer, "Well Completion and Recompletion Report and Log" (Form 3160-4) will be submitted not later than 30 days after completion of the well or after completion of operations being performed, in accordance with 43 CFR 3164. Two copies of all logs, core descriptions, core analyses, well-test data, geologic summaries, sample description, and all other surveys or data obtained and compiled during the drilling, workover, and/or completion operations, will be filed with Form 3160-4. Samples (cuttings, fluids, and/or gases) will be submitted when requested by the AO.

### 6. <u>Notifications of Operations</u>

No location will be constructed or moved, no well will be plugged, and no drilling or workover equipment will be removed from a well to be placed in a suspended status without prior approval of the AO. If operations are to be suspended, prior approval of the AO will be obtained and notification given before resumption of operations.

Operator shall report production data to MMS pursuant to 30 CFR 216.5 using form MMS/3160.

<u>Immediate Report</u>: Spills, blowouts, fires, leaks, accidents, or any other unusual occurrences shall be promptly reported in accordance with the requirements of NTL-3A or its revision.

If a replacement rig is contemplated for completion operations, a "Sundry Notice" (Form 3160-5) to that effect will be filed, for prior approval of the AO, and all conditions of this approved plan are applicable during all operations conducted with the replacement rig.

The date on which production is commenced or resumed will be construed for oil wells as the date on which liquid hydrocarbons are first sold or shipped from a temporary storage facility, such as a test tank, and for which a run ticket is required to be generated or, the date on which liquid hydrocarbons are first produced into a permanent storage facility, whichever first occurs; and, for gas wells as the date on which associated liquid hydrocarbons are first sold or shipped from a temporary storage facility, such as a test tank, and for which a run ticket is required to be generated or, the date on which gas is first measured through permanent metering facilities, whichever first occurs.

Should the well be successfully completed for production, the AO will be notified when the well is placed in a producing status. Written notification of such must be submitted to this office not later than five (5) days following the date on which the well is placed on production.

Gas produced from this well may not be vented or flared beyond an initial authorized test period of 30 days or 50 MMCF following its completion, whichever occurs first, without the prior written approval of the Authorized Officer. Should gas be vented or flared without approval

beyond the authorized test period, the operator may be directed to shut-in the well until the gas can be captured or approval to continue venting or flaring as uneconomic is granted and the operator shall be required to compensate the lessor for that portion of the gas vented or flared without approval which is determined to have been avoidably lost.

A schematic facilities diagram as required by 43 CFR 3162.7-5(d) shall be submitted to the appropriate Field Office within 60 days of installation or first production, whichever occurs first. All site security regulations as specified in Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 3 shall be adhered to. All product lines entering and leaving hydrocarbon storage tanks will be effectively sealed in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.7-5 (1).

No well abandonment operations will be commenced without the prior approval of the AO. In the case of newly drilled dry holes or failures, and in emergency situations, oral approval will be obtained from the AO. A "Subsequent Report of Abandonment" Form 3160-5, will be filed with the AO within thirty (30) days following completion of the well for abandonment. This report will indicate where plugs were placed and the current status of surface restoration. Final abandonment will not be approved until the surface reclamation work required by the approved APD or approved abandonment notice has been completed to the satisfaction of the AO or his representative, or the appropriate Surface Managing Agency.

### 7. Other Information

All loading lines will be placed inside the berm surrounding the tank battery.

All off-lease storage, off-lease measurement, or commingling onlease or off-lease will have prior written approval from the AO.

The oil and gas measurement facilities will be installed on the well location. The oil and gas meters will be calibrated in place prior to any deliveries and tested for meter accuracy at least quarterly thereafter. The AO will be provided with a date and time for the initial meter calibration and all future meter proving schedules. A copy of the meter calibration reports will be submitted to the Vernal District Office. All meter measurement facilities will conform with Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 4 for liquid hydrocarbons and Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 5 for natural gas measurement.

The use of materials under BLM jurisdiction will conform to 43 CFR 3610.2-3.

There will be no deviation from the proposed drilling and/or workover program without prior approval from the AO. Safe drilling and operating practices must be observed. All wells, whether drilling, producing, suspended, or abandoned will be identified in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.

"Sundry Notice and Report on Wells" (Form 3160-5) will be filed for approval for all changes of plans and other operations in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.3-2.

Section 102(b)(3) of the Federal Oil and Gas Royalty Management Act of 1982, as implemented by the applicable provisions of the operating regulations at Title 43 CFR 3162.4-1(c), requires that "not later than the 5th business day after any well begins production on which royalty is due anywhere on a lease site or allocated to a lease site, or resumes production in the case of a well which has been off production for more than 90 days, the operator shall notify the authorized officer by letter or sundry notice, Form 3160-5, or orally to be followed by a letter or sundry notice, of the date on which such production has begun or resumed."

If you fail to comply with this requirement in the manner and time allowed, you shall be liable for a civil penalty of up to \$10,000 per violation for each day such violation continues, not to exceed a maximum of 20 days. See Section 109(c)(3) of the Federal Oil and Gas Royalty Management Act of 1982 and the implementing regulations at Title 43 CFR 3162.4-1(b)(5)(ii).

APD approval is valid for a period of one (1) year from the signature date. An extension period may be granted, if requested, prior to the expiration of the original approval period.

In the event after-hours approvals are necessary, you must contact one of the following individuals:

Ed Forsman

(435) 828-7874

Petroleum Engineer

Kirk Fleetwood

(435) 828-7875

Petroleum Engineer

BLM FAX Machine (435) 781-4410

### EPA'S LIST OF NONEXEMPT EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION WASTES.

While the following wastes are nonexempt, they are not necessarily hazardous.

Unused fracturing fluids or acids

Gas plant cooling tower cleaning wastes

Painting wastes

Oil and gas service company wastes, such as empty drums, drum rinsate, vacuum truck rinsate, sandblast media, painting wastes, spend solvents, spilled chemicals, and waste acids

Vacuum truck and drum rinsate from trucks and drums, transporting or containing nonexempt

waste

Refinery wastes

Liquid and solid wastes generated by crude oil and tank bottom reclaimers

Used equipment lubrication oils

Waste compressor oil, filters, and blowdown

Used hydraulic fluids

Waste solvents

Waste in transportation pipeline-related pits

Caustic or acid cleaners

Boiler cleaning wastes

Boiler refractory bricks

Incinerator ash

Laboratory wastes

Sanitary wastes

Pesticide wastes

Radioactive tracer wastes

Drums, insulation and miscellaneous solids.

COAs Page 7 of <u>8</u> Well No.: Ute Tribal 2-25

# SURFACE USE PROGRAM CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL (COAs)

El Paso Production Oil and Gas Corporation (El Paso) will assure the Ute Tribe that any/all contractors and subcontractors have acquired a current Tribal Business License and have updated "Access Permits" prior to construction. All El Paso personnel, contractors and subcontractors will have these permits in their vehicles at all times. Companies that have not complied with this COA will be in violation of the Ute Tribal Business License Ordinance, and will be subject to fines and penalties.

El Paso employees, representatives, and/or authorized personnel (subcontractors) shall not carry firearms on their person or in their vehicles while working on the Uintah and Ouray Indian Reservation.

El Paso employees and/or authorized personnel (subcontractors) in the field will have approved applicable APDs and/or ROW permits/authorizations on their person(s) during all phases of construction.

El Paso will notify the Ute Tribe and Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) in writing of any requested modification of APDs or Rights-Of Way (ROW). El Paso shall receive written notification of authorization or denial of the requested modification. Without authorization, El Paso will be subject to fines and penalties.

The Ute Tribe Energy & Minerals Department shall be notified in writing 48 hours in advance of any construction activity. The Ute Tribal office is open Monday through Thursday. A Tribal Technician is to routinely monitor construction. El Paso shall make arrangements with the Ute Energy & Minerals Department for all monitoring that will exceed regular working hours for Tribal Technicians. A qualified Archaeologist accompanied by a Tribal Technician will monitor any trenching required for the construction of the pipeline. El Paso is to inform contractors to maintain construction of the pipelines within approved 60 foot right of ways.

A corridor ROW, 60 feet wide and 1845 feet long, shall be granted for the pipeline and for the access road. The constructed travel width of the access road will be limited to 18 feet. Upon authorization by the Ute Tribe Energy & Minerals Department, the road ROW may be wider where sharp curves; deep cuts and fills occur; or, where intersections with other roads are required. Upon completion of each pipeline in the corridor an adequate description of the pipeline will be filed with the Ute Tribe Energy & Minerals Department.

Upon completion of the pertinent APD and ROWs, El Paso will notify the Ute Tribe Energy & Minerals Department for a Tribal Technician to verify the Affidavit of Completion.

Production waters, oil, and other byproducts shall not be placed on access roads or the well pad.

At any locations where the produced water is hauled for drilling purposes, the reserve pits must have adequate liners or clay soils and the produced water may not be injected down the annulus of a well location after drilling has been completed.

All vehicular traffic, personnel movement, construction and restoration operations will be confined to the areas examined and approved and to the existing roadways and/or evaluated access routes.

El Paso will implement "Safety and Emergency Plan" and ensure plan compliance.

El Paso shall stop construction activities and notify personnel from the Ute Tribe Energy & Minerals Department and BIA if cultural remains including paleontologic resources (vertebrate fossils) are exposed or identified during construction. The Ute Tribe Department of Cultural Rights and Protection and the BIA will provide mitigation measures prior to allowing construction.

El Paso employees and/or authorized personnel (subcontractors) will not be allowed to collect artifacts and paleontologic fossils. No significant cultural resources shall be disturbed.

El Paso will control noxious weeds on the well site and ROWs. El Paso will be responsible for noxious weed control if weeds spread from the project area onto adjoining land.

Reserve pits will be lined with an impervious synthetic liner. A fence will be constructed around the reserve pit until it is backfilled. Prior to backfilling the reserve pit, all fluids will be pumped from the pit into trucks and hauled to approved disposal sites. When the reserve pits are backfilled, the surplus oil and mud, etc., will be buried a minimum of 3 feet below the surface of the soil.

A closed system will be used during production. This means that production fluids will be contained in leak-proof tanks. All production fluids will be disposed of at approved disposal sites.

Surface pipelines will be constructed to lay on the soil surface. The ROW will not be bladed or cleared of vegetation without authorization of the BIA. Surface pipelines shall be welded in place at well sites or on access roads and pulled into place with suitable equipment. Vehicles shall not use pipeline ROWs as access roads unless specifically authorized.

Buried pipelines shall be buried a minimum of 3 feet below the soil surface. After construction is completed the disturbed area shall be contoured to blend into the natural landscape and be reseeded between September 15 and November 1 of the year following construction with perennial vegetation seed mixture provided by the BIA or Ute Tribe.

Before the site is abandoned, El Paso will be required to restore the well site and ROWs to near their original state. The disturbed areas will be reseeded with desirable perennial vegetation.

Soil erosion will be mitigated by reseeding all disturbed areas.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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Branch of Real Estate Services Uintah & Ouray Agency

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Date:

5 December, 2002

Reply to Attn of

Supervisory Petroleum Engineer

Subject:

Modification of Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining Regulations

To:

Director, Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining Division: John Baza

We have been advised of changes occurring with the operation of your database for Change of Operator. You will be modifying your records to reflect Change of Operator once you have received all necessary documentation from the companies involved, and perhaps in advance of our Notice of Concurrence/Approval of Change of Operator where Indian leases are involved.

We have no objection.

With further comment to Rulemaking, I wish to comment concerning the provision of Exhibits for upcoming Hearings. I would like to see the Uintah & Ouray Agency, BIA, and the Ute Indian Tribe, Energy & Mineral Resources Department added to the list of those parties that receive advance Exhibits so as to allow us to have research time prior to Hearing dates. We will be able to provide a more informed recommendation to the Oil, Gas and Mining Board. It would be best if we would receive only those Exhibits that concern Indian lands, specifically on or adjacent to Indian lands. This may be a difficult situation to attain, as it is not always clear where 'on or adjacent' occurs.

I am aware that you have gone to extra effort to correct this matter already, and I fully appreciate it. My request is intended only to allow the addition of Uintah & Ouray Agency and Ute Indian Tribe to the official listing.

We appreciate you concern, and hope that these comments are timely enough for consideration in the revision process. learles H Cameson

CC:

Minerals & Mining Section of RES

Ute Energy & Mineral Resources Department: Executive Director

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Due to the name change, the name of the principal/obligor on the bond is required to be changed from Westport Oil and Gas Company, Inc. to Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P.. You may accomplish this either by consent of surety rider on the original bond or a rider to the original bond. The bonds are held in Colorado.

UTU-03405 UTU-20895 UTU-25566 UTU-43156 UTU-49518 UTU-49519 UTU-49522 UTU-49523

> Robert Lopez Chief, Branch of Minerals Adjudication

Moab Field Office
 Vernal Field Office
 MMS, Reference Data Branch, MS3130, PO Box 5860, Denver CO 80217
 State of Utah, DOGM, Attn: Jim Thompson (Ste. 1210), Box 145801, SLC UT 84114
 Teresa Thompson (UT-922)
 Joe Incardine (UT-921)



### United States Department of the Interior

# BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS Washington, D.C. 20240 FEB 1 0 2003

Carroll A. Wilson Principal Landman Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P. 1368 South 1200 East Vernal, Utah 84078

Dear Mr. Wilson:

This is in response to your request for approval of RLI Insurance Company's Nationwide Oil and Gas Lease Bond No. RLB0005239 executed effective December 17, 2002, (\$150,000 coverage) with Westport Oil and Gas Company, L. P., as principal.

This bond is hereby approved as of the date of this correspondence and will be retained in the Bureau of Indian Affairs' Division of Real Estate Services, 1849 C Street, NW, MS-4512-MIB, Washington, D.C. 20240. All Bureau oil and gas regional offices and the surety are being informed of this action.

In cases where you have existing individual and/or collective bonds on file with one or more of our regional offices, you may now request those offices, directly, to terminate in lieu of coverage under this Nationwide Bond.

Enclosed is a copy of the approved bond for your files. If we may be of further assistance in this matter, please advise.

Sincerely,

Director, Office of Trust Responsibilities

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Enclosure



### WESTPORT OIL AND GAS COMPANY, L.P.

#### 410 Seventeenth Street #2300 Deriver Colorada \$0202-4436 Telephone: 303 573 5404 Fax: 303 573 5609

February 1, 2002

Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management 2850 Youngfield Street Lakewood, CO 80215-7093 Attention: Ms. Martha Maxwell

RE:

BLM Bond CO-1203

BLM Nationwide Bond 158626364 Surety - Continental Casualty Company

Belco Energy Corporation merger into Westport Oil and Gas Company, Inc.

Conversion of Westport Oil and Gas Company, Inc., into Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P.

Assumption Rider - Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P.

### Dear Ms. Maxwell:

Pursuant to our recent conversations, please find the following list of enclosures for the BLM's consideration and approval:

Two (2) Assumption Riders, fully executed originals.

Copies of Belco Energy Corporation merger into Westport Oil and Gas Company, Inc. Copies of Westport Oil and Gas Company, Inc., conversion into Westport Oil and Gas

Company, L.P.

List of all Federal/BIA/State Leases - Beloo/Westport's leases - in all states.

Please inform us of any additional information needed to complete the change to Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P., as operator of record.

I thank you for your assistance and cooperation in this matter. Please do not hesitate contacting the undersigned, should a question arise.

Sincerely,

Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P.

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Debby J. Black

Engineer Technician

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### UNITED STATES DE-RIMENT OF THE INTERIOR

OMB No. 1004-0135 Expires Jaovannier 30, 2000 BURBAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A"

FORM APPROVED

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS  Do not use this form for proposals to drill or reenter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.					CHED EXHIBIT "A" Lilottee or Tribe Name		
SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side					7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.		
1. Type of Well Oil Well Gas Well	Other .			8. Well Name			
2. Name of Operator					CHED EXHIBIT "A"		
WESTPORT OIL & GAS CO	OMPANY, L.P.			9. API Well h	₹o.		
3a. Address		3b. Phone No. (includ	e area code)	SEE ATTA	CHED EXHIBIT "A"		
P.O. BOX 1148 VERNAL, U	JT 84078	(435) 781-7023		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area			
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec.) SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT	•	or,)		11. County or 1			
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If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recomplete horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and ze Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent mports shall be filed within 30 . following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompletion in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed a testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator determined that the site is ready for final inspection.

WESTPORT OIL & GAS COMPANY, L.P., IS CONSIDERED TO BE THE OPERATOR ON THE ATTACHED DESCRIBED LANDS AND IS RESPONSIBLE UNDER THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE LEASE FOR THE OPERATIONS CONDUCTED ON THE LEASED LANDS OR PORTIONS THEREOF, BOND COVERAGE FOR THIS WELL IS PROVIDED BY FEDERAL NATIONWIDE BOND NO. 158626364, EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 1, 2002, AND BIA NATIONWIDE BOND NO. RLB0005239, EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 10, 2003.

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Approved by		Title	Date		
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### **OPERATOR CHANGE WORKSHEET**

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# ROUTING 1. GLH 2. CDW 3. FILE

### X Change of Operator (Well Sold)

Designation of Agent/Operator

Operator Name Change

Merger

The operator of the well(s) listed below has changed,	effective:	12-17-02				
FROM: (Old Operator):	TO: ( New Operator):					
EL PASO PRODUCTION OIL & GAS COMPANY			LP			
Address: 9 GREENWAY PLAZA		Address: P O B	OX 1148			
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HOUSTON, TX 77064-0995	_	VERNAL, UT				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Phone: 1-(832)-676-5933	4	Phone: 1-(435)				
Account No. N1845		Account No.	N2115			
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UTE TRIBAL 15-25		43-047-33834		INDIAN	GW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 2-25		43-047-34431		INDIAN	GW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 10-25		43-047-34435		INDIAN	GW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 3-26		43-047-34724		INDIAN	ow	APD
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UTE TRIBAL 5-26		43-047-34733		INDIAN	OW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 6-26		43-047-34734		INDIAN	OW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 12-26		43-047-34746		INDIAN	ow	APD
UTE TRIBAL 3-36		43-047-33867		INDIAN	ow	APD
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ARCHEE 1-118		43-047-34825		INDIAN	GW	NEW
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OPERATOR CHANGES DOCUMENTATION  Enter date after each listed item is completed  1. (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was received	from the FOR	MER operator	on:	02/28/2003		
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2. (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was received	from the NEV	V operator on:	03/04/2003	3		
3. The new company has been checked through the <b>Departs</b>	nent of Comm	erce, Division (	of Corpora	tions Datab	ase on:	03/06/2003
4. Is the new operator registered in the State of Utah:	YES	Business Numb	per:	1355743-018	<u>3</u> 1	

5. If NO, the operator was contacted contacted on:
6. (R649-9-2)Waste Management Plan has been received on: <u>IN PLACE</u>
7. Federal and Indian Lease Wells: The BLM and or the BIA has approved the merger, name change, or operator change for all wells listed on Federal or Indian leases on: BLM-12/31/2003 BIA-12/5/02
8. Federal and Indian Units: The BLM or BIA has approved the successor of unit operator for wells listed on:  02/27/2003
9. Federal and Indian Communization Agreements ("CA"):  The BLM or BIA has approved the operator for all wells listed within a CA on:  01/09/2003
10. Underground Injection Control ("UIC") The Division has approved UIC Form 5, Transfer of Authority to Inject, for the enhanced/secondary recovery unit/project for the water disposal well(s) listed on:  N/A
DATA ENTRY:
1. Changes entered in the Oil and Gas Database on:  03/27/2003
2. Changes have been entered on the Monthly Operator Change Spread Sheet on: 03/27/2003
3. Bond information entered in RBDMS on: N/A
4. Fee wells attached to bond in RBDMS on:  N/A
STATE WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:
1. State well(s) covered by Bond Number: RLB 0005236
FEDERAL WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:
1. Federal well(s) covered by Bond Number: 158626364
INDIAN WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:  1. Indian well(s) covered by Bond Number:  RLB 0005239
FEE WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:
1. (R649-3-1) The NEW operator of any fee well(s) listed covered by Bond Number RLB 0005238
2. The FORMER operator has requested a release of liability from their bond on:  N/A
The Division sent response by letter on:  N/A
LEASE INTEREST OWNER NOTIFICATION:
3. (R649-2-10) The <b>FORMER</b> operator of the fee wells has been contacted and informed by a letter from the Division of their responsibility to notify all interest owners of this change on:  N/A
COMMENTS:

Form 3160-5 (August 1999)

# **UNITED STATES**

# DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED OMB NO. 1004-0135 Expires: November 30, 2000

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1. Type of Well  ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other					8. Well Name and No. UTE TRIBAL 2-25		
2. Name of Operator EL PASO O&G COMPANY	Contact: N	MARGIE HEF -Mail: Margare	RRMANN et.Herrmann@EIP	aso.com	9. API Well No. 43-047-344	 31	
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Name (Printed/Typed) MARGIE HERRMANN Title PREPARER							
Signature (Ecotronic Submission)  Date 10/27/2003							
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# Application for Permit to Drill Request for Permit Extension Validation

Validation (this form should accompany the Sundry Notice requesting permit extension)

API:

43-047-34431

Well Name: UTE TRIBAL 2-25
Location: 368' FNL & 1682' FEL, NWNE, SEC 25, T4S, R1E
Company Permit Issued to: EL PASO PRODUCTION O&G COMPANY
Date Original Permit Issued: 10/15/2002
The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision.
Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.
If located on private land, has the ownership changed, if so, has the surface agreement been updated? Yes⊡No⊡
Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location? Yes ☐ No ☑
Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well? Yes□ No ☑
Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or right- of-way, which could affect the proposed location? Yes□No ☑
Has the approved source of water for drilling changed? Yes□Nol⊄
Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation? Yes□No☑
ls bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well? Yes ☑ No ☐
Margie Verrmann 11/3/2003
Signature / Date
Margie Verrmann Signature  Title:   Agulatory  11/3/2003  Date

Representing: EL PASO PRODUCTION O&G COMPANY

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FORM APPROVED OMB NO. 1004-0135 Expires: November 30, 2000

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS  Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.					6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name UTE TRIBE		
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# El Paso Production APD Extension

Well: Ute Tribal 2-25

Location:

NWNE, Sec. 25, T4S, R1E

Lease: 1420-H62-4904

### **Conditions of Approval**

An extension for the referenced APD is granted with the following condition(s):

- 1. The extension will expire 10/28/04
- 2. No other extensions beyond that time frame will be granted or allowed.

If you have any other questions concerning this matter, please contact Kirk Fleetwood at (435) 781-4486.



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Vernal Field Office 170 South 500 East Vernal, UT 84078 (435) 781-4400 Fax: (435) 781-4410

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IN REPLY REFER TO: 3160 UT08300



December 22, 2004

Margie Herrmann El Paso Production Oil & Gas Co. P. O. Box 120 Altamont, Utah 84001

Re: Notification of Expiration

Well No. Ute Tribal 2-25 NWNE, Sec. 25, T4S, R1E Uintah County, Utah

Lease No. 14-20-H62-4904

Dear Ms. Herrmann:

The Application for Permit to Drill the above-referenced well was approved on October 28, 2002. A one (1) year extension of the original APD was requested. The request was reviewed and the extension approved until October 28, 2004. According to our records, no known activity has transpired at the approved location. In view of the foregoing, this office is notifying you that the approval of the referenced application has expired. If you intend to drill at this location at a future date, a new Application for Permit to Drill must be submitted.

This office requires a letter confirming that no surface disturbance has been made for this drill site. Any surface disturbance associated with the approved location of this well is to be rehabilitated. A schedule for this rehabilitation must be submitted to this office. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Leslie Walker

Legal Instruments Examiner

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> Margie Herrmann El Paso Production Oil & Gas Company P. O. Box 120 Altamont, Utah 84001

Re:

APD Rescinded - Ute Tribal 2-25, Sec.25, T.4S, R.1E

Uintah County, Utah, API No. 43-047-34431

Dear Ms. Herrmann:

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the subject well was approved by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (Division) on October 15, 2002. On November 10, 2003, the Division granted a one-year APD extension. On December 27, 2004, the Division received a letter from the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), which states that the permit filed with the BLM was being returned. I contacted you at that time and you requested that the APD filed with the Division be rescinded.

No drilling activity at this location has been reported to the division. Therefore, approval to drill the well is hereby rescinded, effective December 27, 2004.

A new APD must be filed with this office for approval prior to the commencement of any future work on the subject location.

If any previously unreported operations have been performed on this well location, it is imperative that you notify the Division immediately.

Sincerely,

Diana Mason

**Engineering Technician** 

cc:

Well File

Bureau of Land Management, Vernal

